

Selection problem for Wanderers

WYCOMBE Wanderers could make as many as four changes to their side tomorrow (Saturday) when they meet Bishop's Stortford at Loakes Park in the Rothmans Isthmian League.

The Blues' four injured players, goalkeeper John Maskell, forwards Tony Horseman and Ian Pearson and full back Paul Birdseye are all recovering which leaves manager Ted Powell with a difficult task in selecting his 12.

The 3-1 win at Kingstonian was the result of a fine, hard working performance and the displays of all the forwards means it will be difficult to bring back Horseman and/or Pearson. The manager will make a late selection.

One man out of consideration is George Cleary, who has been released. Cleary, a successful front runner in the Southern League, was unable to make

much impression on Isthmian League defences.

Bishop's Stortford's form this season has been impossible to fathom. Take this week for example. On Saturday they hammered five goals past second placed Tooting and Mitcham without reply and then on Tuesday night they lost 1-0 to bottom of the table Ilford, who had previously picked up one point from nine games.

Stortford have retained most of last year's squad under manager Ian Wolstenholme and include three new signings. They have a new centre forward in Eddie Dillsworth from Chelmsford City while Ray Tucker is from Kingsbury and Terry Smith from Walthamstow.

Top goalscorer this season is Peter Twigg with John McKenzie and Dillsworth close behind.

ROTHMANS Isthmian League Division One

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hitchin	10	7	2	1	13	7	23
Leatherhead	9	7	1	1	17	5	22
Dagenham	10	7	1	2	17	10	22
Wycombe	10	6	0	4	16	13	18
Tooting	10	5	2	3	23	17	17
Sutton	9	4	2	3	13	11	14
Southall	9	4	1	4	13	13	13
Hendon	10	4	1	5	13	13	13
Staines	9	4	1	4	9	9	13
Barking	9	4	1	4	12	12	13
Bishops	10	4	0	6	15	14	12
Enfield	7	3	3	1	7	8	12
L'stone	9	3	2	4	14	12	11
Woking	9	3	2	4	10	10	11
Hayes	8	3	2	3	9	9	11
W'stow	9	3	2	4	9	10	11
Slough	8	3	2	3	7	8	11
Croydon	7	3	1	3	7	7	10
Dulwich	8	1	3	4	7	12	6
Kings	8	1	2	5	7	13	5
Tilbury	8	1	2	5	3	11	5
Ilford	10	1	1	8	4	20	4